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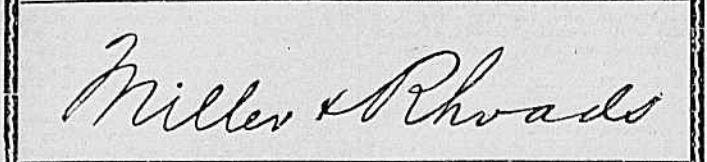
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RECEPTION IS TENDERED TO LUTHERAN PASTOR AND BRIDE

Congregation of First English Lutheran Church Welcomes Rev. J. J. Scherer, Jr.

A delightful reception was tendered last evening by the congregation of the First English Lutheran Church, in honor of their new pastor, the Rev. J. J. Scherer, Jr., and his bride. Mr. Scherer was installed last Sunday morning, and the congregation turned out in full force to greet him and to express their good wishes for a happy and successful pastorate.

During the evening the choir of the church, assisted by Mrs. Jasper L. Rowe, contralto soloist, rendered an attractive musical program as follows:

1. Opening, anthem, "Praise Ye the Father" (Gounod), the choir.
2. Trio—two violins, with piano—Miss Edna Umlauf, Messrs. Blount and Grubb.
3. Contralto solo, Mrs. Jasper L. Rowe.
4. "Sins to Jehovah" (Emerson), the choir.
5. Tenor solo—"Sleep and Forget" (C. White), William T. Goode, Jr.
6. Soprano solo—"Just at the End of the Class," Miss Ruth Umlauf.
7. Piano solo, Miss Koch.
8. Bass—"When the Winds O'er the Sea Blow a Gale" (Pettie), William J. Stout.
9. "Hunters' Chorus" (Emerson), the choir.
10. Miss May Greener, accompanist.

The officers of the church express themselves as greatly pleased with the impression Mr. Scherer has made, and say that the outlook for the church's work has never been better.

GOVERNOR'S THANKS. Acknowledges Lee Floral Tribute From South Carolina.

Governor Swanson has accepted an invitation from the Society for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities to deliver an address, under the auspices of that body, at Jamestown Island on May 13th, in commemoration of the three hundredth anniversary of the first English settlement on the soil of the United States.

The members of the committee that was organized by the Governor at the executive department and urged him to make the address were Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellison, and Messrs. Joseph Bryan and R. A. Lanester, Jr. This will be one of the most important and interesting events of the Jamestown Exposition, as it will be in celebration of the birthday of the nation.

Mrs. Joseph Bryan is president of the association, and Mrs. J. Taylor Ellison is first vice-president.

The committee is greatly pleased that the Governor has accepted the invitation, and the association will spare no pains to make this one of the most brilliant and notable functions of the great show.

A great crowd will no doubt attend, and as the affair will be held in the beautiful spring-time, a delightful entertainment is in prospect.

HOLLYWOOD ASSOCIATION ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS

At the meeting of the Hollywood Memorial Association on Monday the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Hollywood Memorial Association wishes to record its very cordial approval of the celebration of the one-hundredth birthday of General Robert E. Lee, January 19, 1907, a day held sacred each year by this association. It also wishes to express its appreciation of the high honor conferred upon the association in choosing the president, Mrs. J. Taylor Ellison, to act for it, with the presidents of the sister memorial organizations, in bearing the memorial wreath, the gift of Mrs. Joseph Bryan, in the procession and placing it on the monument of General Lee, in the presence of the Confederate veterans, members of General Lee's family and the military, on the evening of January 19, 1907.

Resolved, That all of the members of the association unite in expressing thanks to the honorary president, Mrs. Joseph Bryan, to whom we and the whole country are grateful for the thought which inspired her to plan for the beautiful services which were so admirably carried out by the joint committee in Richmond, and so widely observed in other States, North and South.

**Mr. Taylor Here.**

Mr. Geo. E. Taylor, a former Richmonder, who is now located in Baltimore, Md., is in the city for a day or two. Mr. Taylor enjoys the title of "The Man from Dixie," and is a humorist of great ability. He leaves Richmond to go to Aberdeen, N. C., which is one of the places on his tour through Virginia and the Carolinas this month.

**NEWS GATHERED FROM OUTSIDE**

**Jeff Goodman Has Been Missing From Home for Several Days.**

Robbery in the County

Herbert Cox Sent to Reformatory for House-Breaking—Other Manchester Matters.

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Herbert Cox, who was indicted by the grand jury on the charge of having attempted to shoot Switchman J. L. Bradberry in the Southern yards, was convicted and fined \$100 yesterday. He paid the fine at once and was discharged.

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**Roll of Honor.**

Principal G. Carrington Mosley, of the Manchester schools, has given out the following roll of honor for the schools in the city for the past month:

**MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.**  
First Year, B Grade—Miss Zuleime Du Val.

**GRADED SCHOOLS.**  
Fourth Grammar Grade, Section B—Mrs. Woodward, teacher; Grace Brainer, Lizzie Fry, Lizzie Dennis, Corinne Lockett.

SNOW LAST NIGHT.

Slight Flurries Accompanied Continual Drop in Temperature.

The predicted cold wave came yesterday morning, although the temperature was not so sharp as the predictions seemed to indicate. The day was cold and crisp, and business went briskly on in all lines, except where freezing weather was feared. The day was cold and crisp, and business went briskly on in all lines, except where freezing weather was feared.

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ELDER DRAWS LESSON FROM EARTHQUAKES

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GOES TO ATLANTA.

Rev. Walter L. Single, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Rock Hill, S. C., has accepted an invitation to deliver the address of the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta, Ga., Dr. Single is well known in Richmond, and has been a frequent visitor at the University of the South.

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GREAT POULTRY SHOW OPENED

Exhibition by Virginia Association Far Beyond Any of the Members' Expectations.

SEVENTY-EIGHT EXHIBITORS

Nearly Seven Hundred Splendid Fowls Occupy the Coops in Show-Room.

The splendid exhibition of the Virginia Poultry Association is in full blast at No. 50 East Broad Street. It was intended to open the show to the public at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and the doors were really open, and many people went in to greet the growing exhibitors and cackling fowls, but because of some unforeseen difficulties Manager Stansbury and his able and busy corps of assistants found it utterly impossible to get everything in good exhibition shape until late in the afternoon.

In the first place the management made a mistake, though a natural enough one, in selecting so small a room for the show. They were not to blame for this, because they had to be guided by the information in hand at the time when it became absolutely necessary to decide on the question of a building for the show.

The information then before them indicated that the building No. 50 East Broad was large enough to accommodate the show, and, therefore, that building was engaged. Later entries made the exhibition a much bigger thing than was anticipated, and now when it is too late to get better quarters it is found that No. 50 is not nearly large enough. However, the management has done a good work in making the room meet the emergency, and what is lacking in space is made up in general attractiveness. The fowls are a little cramped, but they are well arranged and all the beautiful fowls are shown, to good advantage.

**List of Exhibitors.**

Many people visited the show last night and by the electric lights saw and admired the magnificent specimens of Virginia raised fowls. They found it a show well worth seeing.

There are seventy-eight exhibitors, and they have put in the show number something like 675. Of course there are more chickens than anything else, and there are all kinds of thoroughbred chickens, from the frisky little bantam up to the gorgeous White Leghorns and the strutting Black Minorcas. Then there are splendid specimens of turkey, magnificent geese, beautiful ducks, and charming little pigeons.

The following is a partial list of the exhibitors:

R. F. Adams, Lynchburg; W. H. Adkins, Swagway, Va.; John C. Adams, Bristol, Tenn.; H. F. Butler, Ashland, Va.; H. D. Brainer, Manchester; F. S. Bullington, Richmond; M. Beasley, Richmond; K. W. Baber, Richmond; Mrs. A. St. Louis, Swagway, Va.; J. V. Brainer, Manchester; C. Brown, Cartersville, Va.; W. J. Brereton, Glen Allen; A. M. Black, Tazewell, Va.; R. O. Berger, Richmond; M. L. Burton, Barton Heights; W. B. Blount, Richmond; J. N. Bonner, Manchester; J. N. Coffman, Edinburg; Otho M. Cooke, Elberton; W. M. Carroll, Lynchburg; W. H. Crews, Saxe, Va.; Mrs. G. H. Dugdale, Roanoke; Dennis Brothers, Bird's Hall; W. H. Dorin, Mt. Vernon, Va.; W. H. Dorin, Richmond; G. M. Lusk, Richmond; J. C. Greene, Richmond; John S. Good, Manchester; R. W. Haw, Centerville; John Herold, Richmond; J. L. Hawkins, Fredericksburg; B. S. Hays, Leesburg; J. D. Jones, Petersburg; D. W. Horn, Mattatox; H. C. Leonard, Richmond; Moorewood Farm, Wiseville; L. E. Myers, Richmond; S. E. Mays, Richmond; L. H. McCue, Afton; Oak Grove Poultry, York, Pa.; W. H. Mendenhall, Manchester; B. M. Nunnally, Manchester; Nuckolls and Harris, Richmond; Mrs. John F. Payne, Charlottesville; J. L. Poole, Manchester; J. Scott, Richmond; J. V. Quares, Richmond; Parrish, Richmond; J. V. Quares, Richmond; J. W. Robertson, Manchester; Charles E. Register, Richmond; J. T. Robertson, Richmond; Mrs. C. M. Robinson, Tabot; Aug. Rowe, Fredericksburg; Miss Clara Smith, Croxton; W. G. Saunders, Richmond; R. S. Smith, Richmond; William Smith, Manchester; J. W. Snellings & Son, Manchester; C. W. Saunders, Richmond; R. R. and L. Taylor, Negro Foot, Va.; E. G. Tyler, Richmond; R. E. Todd, Richmond; A. A. Vaden, Richmond; J. D. Warren, Williams, Richmond; A. J. Warren, Richmond; H. M. Wilkerson, Richmond; Norman Watt, Richmond; W. T. Wright, Richmond; J. T. West, Swansboro; R. L. Harrison, Richmond.

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LID STILL DOWN OVER CITY HOME

Committee's Report Makes No Specifications as to Alleged Slipshod Methods.

THE COUNCIL WILL INQUIRE

Record of Testimony at Hearing Has Not Yet Been Made Public.

The report of the subcommittee of the Council Committee on Relief of the Poor, published yesterday, has not yet been acted upon by the full committee. That is a mere matter of form, however, provided the Messrs. Hobson sign the subcommittee's report, as it is understood they will do. In that event the subcommittee will be a majority of the full committee, and will be able to have its will, even if opposition developed.

The record in the case, which will probably make some 400 or more typewritten pages, has not yet been delivered to the committee. It was understood when the inquiry began that the entire record would be made public as soon as the inquiry ended. The only reason given for secrecy was in order that conditions at the institution might be accurately and completely ascertained. Members of the committee so stated, and this is fully admitted. The appropriation on which the committee secured the use of a stenographer was but \$99, but it is expected that the cost of the investigation will exceed that figure. Consequently, the committee's supplementary appropriation will have to be asked. Just how much will be needed cannot be learned yet.

**Was Toned Down.**

The taking of testimony ceased some time ago, a fortnight or more, since which time the subcommittee has been fighting over the composition of a report. It is said that the chairman of the committee, Dr. Ennon G. Williams, submitted a tentative draft of a report several weeks ago, but there is every reason to believe that his recommendations underwent many and radical changes before a report was finally ground out. That report is a negative one in which the toning down process is obviously apparent.

Nevertheless, when the full text of the findings and the recommendations therein are taken together, and these are subjected to the inquiry that will follow, it is believed that the committee will work radical changes in the hospital department, and the reasons for these will be asked before the Council acts thereon.

The finding that there is a lack of harmony among the officials and employees is another that is likely to call for specifications. This has been known for some time, but whether any changes will follow, only the future can disclose. With a layman at the head of an institution which includes also a hospital, some degree of friction appears to be almost unavoidable. Furthermore, the report declares that much of the superintendent's time is required to attend to his duties as superintendent of public charities, and it is natural that he should not "keep still."

Mr. Joseph B. Stewart Has an Amusing Experience With Himself.

An amusing incident occurred in the office of Collector of Customs, Joseph B. Stewart, in the Federal building, yesterday. Some friend had kindly sent the collector a gallon of fine oysters, and he had the bucket set outside one of the big windows of the building, where the playing of the winter winds would keep the delicious bivalves fresh and cool.

Now the collector happens to reside in Henrico county, and goes out to his home every night. A feeling of fear came over him that he might possibly forget to take the much-appreciated gift home with him last night. He asked his deputies to remind him, but the possibility of failing to have the oysters for supper still lingered with him, and he finally thought out a plan which surely solved the problem.

He was so crisp and he knew he would not forget his oysters, so he planned a large sheet of white paper on this garment, which hung upon a rack in his office.

Upon this paper he addressed the following communication to himself:

"You will recall that a gentleman sent you a gallon oysters this morning. Please do not forget to take them home with you to-night."

The plan worked admirably, and when the collector left his office at the close of business he carried his bucket of oysters with him.